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Applicant: Hiroshi MAEDA et al. Conf.: 4186

Appl. No.: 10/617,707 Group: Unassigned

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For: SOLID-STATE IMAGING DEVICE AND METHOD
OF MANUFACTURING SAID SOLID-STATE
IMAGING DEVICE

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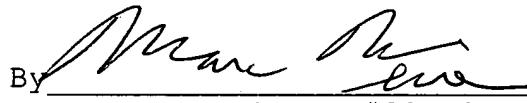
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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.